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Attorney Docket No. 1435-204

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
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Jean-Marc Galewski et al.	)	Group Art Unit: 1711
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Application No.: 10/525,731	)	Examiner: Terressa M. Boykin
	)	
Filed: February 28, 2005	)	
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For: Process and Apparatus for	)	Confirmation No.: 8298
Degassing a Polymer	)	

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION**

In reply to the Office Action mailed October 23, 2006, please amend the  
above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** follow the amendment section of this paper.